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## Berlin News

### STATE POLICE GET THREE LIQUOR MEN

One, Regolo Neri, Pays Fine and Costs Amounting to \$102.12

### OTHER CASES CONTINUED

Robbers Take \$65 and Silverware at Home of S. J. Clark—Jumps from Bridge to Save His Life—Winners at the Fair—Other Matters.

State Policeman Robert Bridgeman, assisted by State Sealer of Weights and Measures Charles A. Fine, made three liquor raids in this town yesterday and as a result three New Britain liquor dealers were arraigned before Judge George Griswold in the town court this morning. One of the accused, Regolo Neri, was put to trial and found guilty, whereupon the court imposed a fine of \$102.12 and costs, amounting to \$102.12.

Acting on information received, State Policeman Bridgeman and his companion waited in a high powered automobile in Beckley yesterday afternoon for Neri. The New Britain man is a member of the firm of Neri Brothers, who have a cafe and bottling works on East Main street, and it was claimed that they have

been making a business of selling liquor in this town without a license and without bothering about the legal technicality of having an order book. Neri had an automobile truck containing nine kegs of beer and four dozen bottles of ale and when he saw the state officials it is said he immediately opened the throttle in an attempt to speed away. He was caught, however, and summoned to appear in court today. Liquor Prosecutor B. W. Alling conducted the state's case. As an excuse, Neri pleaded ignorance and declared that it was his opinion that his federal revenue license entitled him to sell liquor anywhere, but upon being questioned by Officer Bridgeman about a similar case in which he figured in Avon two years ago he abandoned the argument and paid his fine.

The second raid occurred near the railroad pond in Kensington when the state officials swooped down upon Martino de Maio, who is employed by Joseph Landino, who conducts a cafe on South Main street. It is claimed that he too was selling liquor without the proper credentials. Lawyer Joseph A. Glover of New Britain appeared for him and entered a plea of not guilty. The case was continued until next Thursday. The police state that they confiscated eight kegs and two dozen bottles of beer in De Maio's wagon. In the case of Marinelli Tranquillo, also arrested by the state police, nine kegs and four dozen bottles of beer were confiscated. He was represented by Lawyer J. G. Woods and his case has likewise been continued until Thursday.

Following is the list of winners of the main prizes:  
Military set, Ugo Pucelli; doll, Muriel Rich; lemonade set, Matilda Larson; table cloth, Rev. J. C. Brennan; old glass dish, J. P. Fitzsimons; self heating flat iron, Margaret Luby; suit case, Thomas Fagan; five pounds candy, Rev. P. Daly; cord of wood, K. O. Murray; hand bag, Arthur Seabury; rug, Jam; percolator, Tony Buckley; fancy dish, M. Welch; carrying set, John McKee, sr.; desk clock, Catherine Corr; liver tea pot, Alice M. Fitzgerald; cream set, Mrs. H. E. Taylor; parlor clock, J. M. Murray; silver spoons, William Coupland; umbrella, J. H. Clynes; parlor table, Edward Seirest; casserole, W. E. Brown; water color painting, J. Warren; berry set, M. P. Leghorn; box of handkerchiefs, J. Hinchey; Sacred Heart picture, Charles J. Marks; fruit cake, Charles Nacholtz; barrel of flour, Mrs. G. W. Sullivan; jardiniere, Agnes O'Connell; aluminum roaster, J. H. Hinchey; chocolate set, H. H. Hall; silver teaspoons, Rev. P. Daly; rocker, J. C. Hart; knitted slippers, F. Bardeck; picture, Catherine Roche; barrel of apples, Mrs. John McKee, sr.; vase, Eleanor Johnson; preserves, Condon; jewel case, P. S. McMaon; centerpiece, Mrs. Mary Dooley; cigars, Jam; cabbage, H. H. Hall; quilt, Alice M. Fitzgerald; water set, A. C. H.; cake plate, M. J. Kenney; comfortable Rev. J. C. Brennan; sofa pillow, F. M. Zimmerman; pipe, J. A. M.; statue, K. O. Murray; \$10 gold piece, P. E. Mannix, 122 Huntington street, Hartford; gold watch, Rev. John Ryan.

#### Borough Committee Meeting.

The borough committee held a meeting at the home of Dr. R. M. Griswold last evening and a general discussion was held in regard to the best means to secure water for Kensington. The committee will hold another meeting and will go more into detail.

#### Jumps From Bridge.

What came near being a serious accident happened this morning on the old stone bridge about a quarter of a mile south of the railroad station,

when Daniel Cavanaugh jumped to the ground below to prevent being hit by a speeding train. Cavanaugh, who works for the railroad company on the steam shovel, was working on the bridge and failed to hear the train until it was rushing down upon him, leaving him the choice of being hit or jumping to the ground below, a distance of fifteen feet. He was unable to move, and word was at once sent to Dr. R. M. Griswold, who hurried to the scene. After an examination, Cavanaugh was sent to his home, suffering from a severe strain of the back and right ankle. It is said he claimed the engineer failed to blow the whistle or ring the bell when it was bearing down upon him. It will be a matter of several weeks before he will again be able to attend to his work.

#### At the Churches.

Berlin Congregational Church, Rev. S. A. Fisk, pastor—Morning worship at 10:45 o'clock with sermon by the pastor, "Every Goal a Starting Point." All Departments of the Sunday school will convene at noon. At 3:30 there will be a meeting of the standing committee in the church. At the Senior Endeavor meeting at 6:30 o'clock, Ralph Nourse will be the leader, and the subject is "Manliness and Womanliness."

St. Paul's Church, Rev. J. C. Brennan, pastor—Mass will be celebrated at the Sacred Heart church, East Berlin, tomorrow at 9 o'clock, and at St. Paul's church, Kensington, at 10 o'clock.

Kensington Congregational Church, Rev. Carleton Hazen, pastor—Morning worship at 10:45 o'clock with sermon by the pastor. The Sunday school meets at noon. In the response to the proclamation by President Wilson for relief for the Armenians, there will be a special offering in the Sunday school, in which all the members of the church and congregation are invited to share. The offering is to be devoted to the "fund for starving children." The usual Christian Endeavor hour will be devoted to a missionary pageant, prepared by the Women's Home Missionary society. Many of the Sunday school members are to take part.

Kensington Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. E. F. Lounsbury, pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. The pastor will conduct the services.

#### St. Paul's Fair Closes.

Last evening saw the close of one of the most successful fairs ever given by St. Paul's church. It was a big success in every way. Clever entertainment, dancing and various forms of amusement held forth every night and served to bring the crowds. The awards on the books of season tickets took place with the following results: Box of cigars, blank; lemonade set, Elizabeth McKee, Kensington; umbrella, T. DeLisle, Meriden; ham, blank; Mrs. E. Nixon, Naugatuck, won the ton of coal.

The prizes for the young women canvassers for selling the largest number of tickets resulted in the following winners: First, Ethel Whitney; second, Mrs. Bernard Brannan; third, Mary Garrity. For the children, first, Rose Kiniry; second, Mary Magunda; third, Mary McCormick.

#### Berlin Briefs.

Paul E. Mirante and Mary Della Colli took out a marriage license today.

Miss Charlotte Fritz of Branford is visiting at the home of Miss Olive Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hazen of New-  
port, Vt., are spending a few days with the former's father, M. H. Hazen, of East Berlin.

## Plainville News

### STRIKING NEGROES INCITE NEAR RIOT

Darkeys Pay Midnight Visit to Center and Cause Disturbance

### NURSING BRUISED HEADS

Take Lunch Room by Storm But Retreat When They Hear Rebel Yell—Brakeman Smashes Lantern on

Darkey's Head—Briefs.

Inflamed by "dat good ole nigger gin" of which they had imbibed freely during the day and enraged because of the treatment given them by the New Haven railroad, negroes employed at the transfer station left their quarters near the depot last night to pay a visit to the center and incidentally to annihilate whatever whites might be in sight. A near-riot resulted and today some of the darkeys are nursing bruised heads which were damaged in the melee incidental to their visit. The "police force" slept soundly through it all owing to the failure of either the voters or selectmen to provide for patrolling the streets and it was not until the trouble was over that an officer could be located, a telephone call eventually bringing Constable Marino to the scene of the disturbance.

During the early part of the evening two of the negroes got into an encounter with some whites and were badly used up. They had assumed a threatening aspect and were severely mauled for their insulting remarks. A brakeman, who was mixed up in the affair, smashed his lantern on a frizzled hair covered head and rendered the recipient of the blow unconscious. The other darkey was pummeled with fists and whatever weapons were available and he too was made hors de combat.

When the pair recovered they fled to their headquarters and securing reinforcements returned to the center to renew hostilities. They made an attempt to get into Gleason's lunch room but found the doors locked to them. They threatened to break windows and do dire things to the men in charge but finally left without doing any damage. They then marched to Collins' lunch room and took possession of the place, the night man and the few white customers retreating when they found the strength of the advancing horde. Finally one of the white men, with rare presence of mind, gave the rebel yell from behind the building and the negroes evidently believing that the Ku Klux Klan was out for an evening's entertainment dashed out of the place and retreated in disorder to the station.

Meanwhile an "S. O. S." call was sent to the home of Constable Marino and he reported at the center a short time after the invading force had retired. He remained on the streets until early this morning fearing that another attack might be made but conditions remained peaceful.

Trouble with the negroes started Thursday night when they received their first pay for work done at the station. They discovered that the company had deducted \$8 in a lump sum from their wages for the transportation north instead of collecting the bill by taking out \$1 a week in conformance with the agreement made when they were hired. The gang refused to go to work yesterday morning but finally agreed to go back if they were paid in full for their services. The money was sent here in the afternoon and the demands of the strikers were satisfied. Instead of returning to work, however, the darkeys came to the center to get rid of the money. Fancy shirts and shoes in the window of one of the stores attracted their attention and they bought practically the entire stock of the proprietor. The balance they invested in gin.

Some of them originally decided to save part of their pay for a rainy day and they opened accounts with the postal savings bank, making small deposits. Growing envious of their friends, however, they withdrew the money during the afternoon and

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"You must stand somewhere and you had better begin at the first attack.

"I am for peace with honor and not at the sacrifice of rights.

"We are together in this country to go up or down, but we won't go up unless we have the splendid spirit of the past which maintains the honor of the flag and maintains peace because the world respects our power to maintain it."

**Charles E. Hughes**

Omaha Speech, October 16, 1916.

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joined in the celebration. They refused to go to work and spent the balance of the day in merry-making.

Today less than thirty of the seventy colored men at the center of the strike reported on the platform for duty. The others remained in their bunks or roamed about the streets, while a few left town.

The officials arranged to have the more unruly members of the gang sent to New Haven where other Southern darkeys are employed by the road and part of the Elm City force will be sent here Monday in an effort to straighten out the tangle. The men are under a sixty day contract and seemingly cannot be discharged. They are absolutely beyond the control of the officials and their advent has certainly failed to lessen the worries of the freight agents over the labor problem.

#### Marino Is Aroused.

Commenting today on the disturbance Constable Marino stated that it is but another evidence of the need of a regular patrolman. He claims to be growing weary of midnight telephone calls to hurry downtown to attend to divers complaints. He receives no compensation whatever and he reports that he has practically made up his mind to leave a deaf ear to his "phone bell at night."

"Let them call up Selectman Johnson," he said today. "He is responsible for the police of streets and if he don't want to hire a patrolman let him take the trouble which results from his attitude."

All persons in the Town of Plainville, liable to pay taxes, are hereby notified and warned to return to the Assessors, on or before the First day of November next, a written or printed list, properly signed and sworn to, of all taxable property belonging to them on the first day of October, 1916. All persons owning real estate will be required to give a separate description of each parcel of the same and to give dimensions of all separate building lots, whether occupied or unoccupied. Those failing to return a list with proper description will be charged a penalty of ten per cent. additional, according to law. Blanks can be obtained of the Assessors or at the Town Clerk's office, or Judge Byington's store.

The Assessors will meet in the Town Hall building for the purpose of receiving said lists, on Monday, October 16th, Wednesday, October 18th, Saturday, October 21st, Monday, October 23d, Wednesday, October 25th, from 1:30 in the afternoon until 5 o'clock, and from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., October 27th, 28th, 30th, 31st and November 1st. L. B. Tucker, P. T. Wheeler, O. H. Robertson, Assessors.

**More Negroes Coming.**  
The negro population will be further increased next week, according to reports in circulation, and it is estimated that there will be about 150 darkeys from the South at work here. The Connecticut company is expected to bring a large gang of them to Plainville to lay new trolley tracks on Whiting street and more of them will be sent to the transfer station, the officials admitting that one white man does as much work as two negroes.

That the town will need police officers on duty every night to prevent trouble because of race disturbances should be plain to the officials and it is likely that action will be taken on the matter immediately.

#### To Confirm Class.

Rev. E. C. Achinson, suffragan Bishop of the Episcopal diocese, will pay an official visit here on Sunday, November 5, when he will confirm a class at the Church of Our Saviour.

The rector, Rev. R. H. Burton, is now making arrangements for his reception.

Besides administering confirmation Bishop Achinson will give a sermon at the morning service.

#### At the Churches.

Congregational—The pastor, Rev. F. L. Grant, will occupy the pulpit in the morning and will preach on the subject, "The Macedonian call."

Episcopal—Services will be held in the morning at 10:45; Sunday school following. The rector will preach in the evening.

Advent Christian—Morning worship at 10:45 with sermon by Rev. W. S. Beanson of Bristol. Sunday school will be at noon. There will be a praise and social service at 6:15 and at 7 o'clock the pastor, Rev. J. W. Denton, will preach on the subject: "God's Call to Service."

#### Socialists Nominate.

The local branch of the socialist party has made its nominations for officers for the election next month and has filed the names with the secretary of state.

James G. Duffy, an employee at the transfer station is to make the run for representative. The nominees for justices of the peace are A. W. Morley, Thomas Murphy and Morris Hart.

#### Brief Items.

The wedding of Clayton Lawrence of Forestville, and Miss Gladys Smith, will take place on Thanksgiving day, the ceremony to be performed at the home of the young lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith of West Main street.

The Parish Guild of the Church of Our Saviour has started arrangements for a Christmas sale to be held at the parish house on December 7. Rev. J. W. Denton, pastor of the Advent Christian church, will preach in Bristol tomorrow morning, exchanging pulpits with Rev. W. S.

Beanson. Because of the delay in the opening of schools resulting from the threatened epidemic of infantile paralysis the school board has decided to have sessions in all grades every day during the winter, even when the weather is of the variety that usually causes the sounding of the "no school" gong.

**Order of Notice of Hearing.**  
District of Berlin, ss: Probate court, October 21, A. D. 1916.  
Estate of Annie Bowen late of the town of New Britain, in said district, deceased.

Upon the application of James M. Curtin, praying that as administrator on the estate of said deceased, he may be authorized and empowered to sell and convey real estate of said deceased, in said New Britain, as per application on file more fully appears, it is

Ordered, That said application be heard and determined at the Probate Office, in New Britain, in said district on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1916, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and that notice be given of the pendency of said application and the time and place of hearing thereon, by publishing this order one time in some newspaper having a circulation in said district, and by posting a copy of this order on the public signpost in the town of New Britain, in said district, and return make to this Court of the notice given.

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